

I am greatly disturbed by Sinclair Broadcasting's decision to force their stations to air an anti-Kerry documentary days before the election. It is an obvious attempt to use the airwaves to influence the presidential election.

Sinclair like others, uses the public airwaves free of charge, and is obligated by law to serve the public interest. But when large companies control the airwaves, we get more of what's good for the bottom line and less of what we need for our democracy.

Sinclair's actions show a great hypocrisy on the part of the a conservative media conglomerate. I am sure that they editorialized how terrible it was to show the TV movie on Ronald Reagan, when that aired on Showtime . Of courser that was on pay cable and was an admitted docuDRAMA. Meanwhiole, Sinclair pretends that they are doing this for the public good while knowing it is made up of people who hate Kerry based on OPINION. The public airwaves should not be used by a FCC regulated station to support a particular candidate, especially considering that stations desire to have a conservative administration to influence ownership rules. This is disgusting and un-American.

Thank you, Robert Carroll